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Re: Application No.: 09/936,001
Inventors: James Allen, et al.
Filed: September 6, 2001
For: APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING WHEN A PATIENT
IS SUSCEPTIBLE TO DEFIBRILLATION
Attorney Docket No.: 3994942-136258

Dear Sir:

We have enclosed an Amendment A which is filed in response to the Office Action dated December 22, 2003, Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time, Authorization to Charge Deposit Account (in duplicate) and Certificate of Filing by Mail. Applicant is entitled to small entity fees. We also have enclosed our postcard receipt, which we ask that you acknowledge and return to us.

Very truly yours,

Richard M. Mescher

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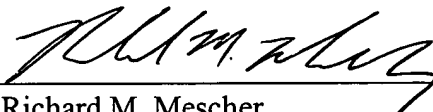
Sir:

Please charge any deficiency in the fees for the above-referenced application to our
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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 14, 2004

By: 
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